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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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MEMORANDUM FOR

Commanders, TRADOC Installations (Safety Managers)
Commander, U.S. Army Cadet Command (Safety Manager)
Commandants, TRADOC Service Schools (Safety Managers)

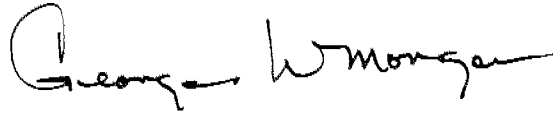
SUBJECT: Lightning Protection for Soldiers in Training

1. Reference memorandum, HQ TRADOC, ATBO-GI, 22 Feb 02, subject: Lightning Protection for Personnel.
2. Subject memorandum directed installation commanders to review existing lightning protection shelters and the requirement for additional shelters for soldiers in training. The TRADOC Engineer is POC for this action. Our intent is to assist you in supporting your engineer in assessing your activity's need for lightning protection shelters.
3. The subject tasking did not direct installations to construct shelters. The focus must include elements of lightning protection beyond the construction of protection shelters. Prior to assessing the suitability of existing shelters, an in-depth risk assessment should be conducted of installation training environment, early warning system, evacuation assets, and site utilization. Your engineer may be better prepared to conduct this assessment once reasonable requirements are established.
4. The construction of costly lightning protection shelters should not be undertaken before other protection measures are addressed and implemented. Want to ensure you provide your installation engineers the technical assistance needed during this assessment

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5. Point of contact is Mr. Hilliard, DSN 680-2418 or commercial (757) 788-2418.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "George W. Morgan". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "G" and a long, sweeping underline.

GEORGE W. MORGAN

Director

TRADOC Safety, Occupational
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